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I hereby certify that the information contained in this application is, to the best of my knowledge, correct and that the organization named above has authorized me as its representative to obligate this organization in a legally binding contractual agreement. I further certify that any ensuing program and activity will be conducted in accordance with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations, application guidelines and instructions, the general provisions and assurances, debarment and suspension certification, lobbying certification requirements, special provisions and assurances, and the schedules attached as applicable. It is understood by the applicant that this application constitutes an offer and, if accepted by the Agency or renegotiated to acceptance, will form a binding agreement.

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Schedule #1—General Information	<u>tion</u>
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Part 3: Schedules Required for New or Amended Applications	

An X in the "New" column indicates a required schedule that must be submitted as part of any new application. The applicant must mark the "New" checkbox for each additional schedule submitted to complete the application. For amended applications, the applicant must mark the "Amended" checkbox for each schedule being submitted as part of the amendment.

Schedule	Schedule Name	Application Type		
#	Schedule Name	New	Amended	
1	General Information			
2	Required Attachments and Provisions and Assurances		N/A	
4	Request for Amendment	N/A		
5	Program Executive Summary			
6	Program Budget Summary			
7	Payroll Costs (6100)	See		
8	Professional and Contracted Services (6200)	important		
9	Supplies and Materials (6300)	Note for		
10	Other Operating Costs (6400)	Competitive		
11	Capital Outlay (6600)	Grants*		
12	Demographics and Participants to Be Served with Grant Funds			
13	Needs Assessment			
14	Management Plan			
15	Project Evaluation			
16	Responses to Statutory Requirements			
17	Responses to TEA Requirements			
18	Equitable Access and Participation			

\*IMPORTANT NOTE FOR COMPETITIVE GRANTS: Schedules #7, #8, #9, #10 and #11 are required schedules if any dollar amount is entered for the corresponding class/object code on Schedule #6—Program Budget Summary. For example, if any dollar amount is budgeted for class/object code 6100 on Schedule #6—Program Budget Summary, then Schedule #7—Payroll Costs (6100) is required. If it is either blank or missing from the application, the application will be disqualified.

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Schedule #2—Required Attachments and P	rovisions and Assurances
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Part 1: Required Attachments	

The following table lists the fiscal-related and program-related documents that are required to be submitted with the application (attached to the back of each copy, as an appendix).

#	Applicant Type	Name of Required Fiscal-Related Attachment				
No f	No fiscal-related attachments are required for this grant.					
#	Name of Required Program-Related Attachment	Description of Required Program-Related Attachment				
No program-related attachments are required for this grant						
Part 2: Acceptance and Compliance						

By marking an X in each of the boxes below, the authorized official who signs Schedule #1—General Information certifies his or her acceptance of and compliance with all of the following guidelines, provisions, and assurances.

Note that provisions and assurances specific to this program are listed separately, in Part 3 of this schedule, and

require a separate certification.

x	Acceptance and Compliance
$\boxtimes$	I certify my acceptance of and compliance with the General and Fiscal Guidelines.
$\boxtimes$	I certify my acceptance of and compliance with the program guidelines for this grant.
$\boxtimes$	I certify my acceptance of and compliance with all General Provisions and Assurances requirements.
$\boxtimes$	I certify that I am not debarred or suspended. I also certify my acceptance of and compliance with all Debarment and Suspension Certification requirements.
$\boxtimes$	I certify that this organization does not spend federal appropriated funds for lobbying activities and certify my acceptance of and compliance with all Lobbying Certification requirements.
	I certify my acceptance of and compliance with No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 Provisions and Assurances requirements.

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# Schedule #2—Required Attachments and Provisions and Assurances County-district number or vendor ID: 101-917 Part 3: Program-Specific Provisions and Assurances

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#	Provision/Assurance
1.	The applicant provides assurance that program funds will supplement (increase the level of service), and not supplant (replace) state mandates, State Board of Education rules, and activities previously conducted with state or local funds. The applicant provides assurance that state or local funds may not be decreased or diverted for other purposes merely because of the availability of these funds. The applicant provides assurance that program services and activities to be funded from this grant will be supplementary to existing services and activities and will not be used for any services or activities required by state law, State Board of Education rules, or local policy.
2.	The applicant provides assurance that the application does not contain any information that would be protected by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) from general release to the public.
3.	The applicant provides assurance that, if it receives these program funds to serve one or more campuses, it will ensure each campus receives all of the state and local funds it would have received in the absence of these program funds. As a result, an LEA must provide the TTIPS grantee campus all of the non-Federal funds the campus would have received were it not a TTIPS grantee campus, and these program funds must supplement the amount of those non-Federal funds. Note, however, that the campus does not need to demonstrate that these program funds are used only for activities that supplement those activities the campus would otherwise provide with non-Federal funds.
4.	The applicant provides assurance that the education program described below is unique to the applicant LEA and the eligible campus for which the application is being submitted. An applicant that plagiarizes or copies any other application does not meet this standard and will be disqualified.
<b>5</b> .	<ol> <li>The LEA provides assurance that it will meet the following federal requirements:         <ol> <li>Establish annual goals for student achievement on the State's assessments in both reading/language arts and mathematics, measure progress on the leading indicators in section III of the final requirements and establish goals to hold schools receiving school improvement funds accountable.</li> <li>If it implements a restart model in a school, hold the charter operator, charter management organization, or education management organization accountable for complying with the final requirements, and it includes these terms in its contract or provisions.</li> </ol> </li> </ol> <li>Monitor and evaluate the actions a school has taken, as outlined in the approved TTIPS application, to recruit, select and provide oversight to external providers to ensure their quality.</li> <li>Monitor and evaluate the actions schools have taken, as outlined in the approved TTIPS application, to sustain the reforms after the funding period ends and that it will provide technical assistance to schools to sustain progress in the absence of TTIPS funding.</li> <li>Report school-level data to the SEA required under section III of the final requirements, and included in the Program Guidelines of this RFA.</li> <li>The LEA provides assurance that it will participate in any evaluation of the grant conducted by the U.S.</li>
7.	Department of Education, including its contractors, or the Texas Education Agency, including its contractors.  The LEA/campus provides assurance that if it selects to implement the Transformation Model, the campus will meet all of the following federal requirements:  1. Develop and increase teacher and school leader effectiveness.  (A) Replace the principal who led the school prior to commencement of the transformation model;  (B) Use rigorous, transparent, and equitable evaluation systems for teachers and principals that—  i. Take into account data on student growth as a significant factor as well as other factors such as multiple observation-based assessments of performance and ongoing collections of professional practice reflective of student achievement and increased high school graduation rates; and  ii. Uses the definition of student growth as: the change in achievement for an individual student between two or more points in time. For grades in which the State administers summative assessments in reading/ language arts and mathematics, student growth data must be based on a student's score on the State's assessment under section 1111(b)(3) of the ESEA. A State may also include other measures that are rigorous and comparable across classrooms.

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- iii. Are designed and developed with teacher and principal involvement;
- (C) Identify and reward school leaders, teachers, and other staff who, in implementing this model, have increased student achievement and high school graduation rates and identify and remove those who, after ample opportunities have been provided for them to improve their professional practice, have not done so:
- (D) Provide staff ongoing, high-quality, job-embedded professional development (e.g., regarding subject-specific pedagogy, instruction that reflects a deeper understanding of the community served by the school, or differentiated instruction) that is aligned with the school's comprehensive instructional program and designed with school staff to ensure they are equipped to facilitate effective teaching and learning and have the capacity to successfully implement school reform strategies; and
- (E) Implement such strategies as financial incentives, increased opportunities for promotion and career growth, and more flexible work conditions that are designed to recruit, place, and retain staff with the skills necessary to meet the needs of the students in a transformation school.
- 2. Deliver comprehensive instructional reform strategies.
  - (A) Use data to identify and implement an instructional program that is research-based and vertically aligned from one grade to the next as well as aligned with State academic standards; and
  - (B) Promote the continuous use of student data (such as from formative, interim, and summative assessments) to inform and differentiate instruction in order to meet the academic needs of individual students.
- 3. Increase learning time and create community-oriented schools.
  - (A) Establish schedules and strategies that provide increased learning time; using a longer day, week or year; and by addressing each of the following areas:
    - Additional time for instruction in core academic subjects including English, reading or language arts, mathematics, science, foreign languages, civics and government, economics, arts, history, and geography.
    - ii. Additional time for instruction in other subjects and enrichment activities that contribute to a well-rounded education, including, for example, physical education, service learning, and experiential and work based learning opportunities that are provided by partnering, as appropriate, with other organizations.
    - iii. Additional time for teachers to collaborate, plan, and engage in professional development within and across grades and content areas.
  - (B) Provide ongoing mechanisms for family and community engagement.
- 4. Providing operational flexibility and sustained support.
  - (A) Give the school sufficient operational flexibility (such as staffing, calendars/time, and budgeting) to implement fully a comprehensive approach to substantially improve student achievement outcomes and increase high school graduation rates; and

Ensure that the school receives ongoing, intensive technical assistance and related support from the LEA, the SEA, or a designated external lead partner organization (such as a school turnaround organization or an education management organization (EMO)).

The LEA/campus provides assurance that if it selects to implement the <u>Texas State-Design Model</u>, the campus will deliver a comprehensive school improvement strategy, implemented for all students in the school, which is consistent with the Texas concept for developing an *Early College High School* (ECHS).

By implementing an ECHS, the LEA/campus is delivering a whole-school reform model that:

- Improves student academic achievement or attainment
- Is implemented for all students in the school

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- Addresses in a comprehensive and coordinated manner:
  - o improvement in school leadership
  - o improvement in teaching and learning in academic content areas
  - o professional learning for educators
  - student non-academic supports

In doing so, the LEA/campus will implement the following:

1. Pursue designation as a Texas Early College High School, with a target of earning TEA ECHS designation and full-operation as an ECHS, no later than the start of the second year of the TTIPS grant implementation period; Fall 2017.

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- 2. Provide a rigorous course of study that enables students to receive a high school diploma and complete the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board's (THECB) core curriculum; or an associate's degree; or at least 60 credit hours toward a baccalaureate degree during grades 9-12.
- 3. Provide college credit earned through the high school years for all students at no cost; including tuition, fees and textbook costs.
- 4. Develop and increase teacher and school leader effectiveness, in a manner consistent with the requirements of the federal school improvement grant Transformation model. I doing so, the LEA/campus must use rigorous, transparent and equitable evaluation systems for teachers and principals that take into account data on student growth as a significant factor, as well as other factors such as multiple observation-based assessments of performance and ongoing collections of professional practice reflective of student achievement.
- 5. While implementing for all students, the program specifically identifies students for more intensive supports. These students include those at-risk for dropping out of school, as defined in Texas statedefined criteria in TEC §29.081, and students historically underrepresented in college courses. In developing and providing the more intensive supports, the LEA/campus will have:
  - (A) Data to identify the population at risk of dropping out of school;
  - (B) Quantitative and qualitative data to identify students least likely to attend college/those historically underrepresented in college courses;
  - (C) Early College brochures in all languages relevant to the school community;
  - (D) Written communication plan for relevant target audiences: parents, community members, school board.

#### Adapted from Texas Early College High School Blueprint, Benchmark 1

- 6. By the start of TTIPS full-implementation (Fall 2017), the LEA/campus will have key partnerships in place that will enable success as an ECHS. Key partnerships include:
  - (A) Partnership between the school district and an institute of higher education (IHE) that:
    - i. Is marked by a signed Memoranda of Understanding with current signature each year of implementation.
    - Defines the partnership between the LEA/campus and the IHE and addresses topics including, but not limited to: the ECHS location, the allocation of costs for tuition, fees, textbooks, and student transportation;
    - iii. Defines an active partnership between the school district(s) and the IHE(s), which shall include joint decision-making procedures that allow for the planning and implementation of a coherent program across institutions; and
    - iv. Includes provisions and processes for collecting, sharing, and reviewing program and student data to assess the progress of the ECHS.
  - (B) Contract/partner with a Texas ECHS demonstration site or other Texas ECHS that has retained designation for at least the last four consecutive years and assessed as exemplary using the Texas ECHS Blueprint, or other ECHS selected as a match partner site by the TEA.

#### Adapted from Texas Early College High School Blueprint, Benchmark 2.

7. By the start of TTIPS planning/pre-implementation year (February 1, 2017), the LEA and key partners must have developed and be maintaining a leadership team focused on P-16 Leadership Initiatives that meets regularly to address issues of the ECHS design and sustainability. At minimum, the membership shall include the campus principal and individuals with decision-making authority from both the LEA and IHE.

#### Adapted from Texas Early College High School Blueprint, Benchmark 3.

- 8. Once designated, the LEA/campus will work with a TEA approved Texas ECHS technical assistance provider, and fulfill any conditions required to maintain TEA designation status.
- 9. Provide a curriculum that offers a rigorous and accelerated course of study, in both college-credit bearing courses and preparatory/college readiness courses. Additionally, the program must provide students with the academic, emotional and social supports necessary to be successful in the rigorous course of study. The curriculum and supports must meet the following:
  - (A) Beginning in TTIPS first year of full-implementation (Fall 2017), have curriculum in place that allows all students to graduate high school with at least six semester credit hours toward a baccalaureate degree.

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- (B) By TTIPS second year of full-implementation (Fall 2018), have curriculum in place that enables students to receive a high school diploma and complete the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board's (THECB) core curriculum (as defined by TAC §4.28); or an associate's degree; or at least 60 credit hours toward a baccalaureate degree during grades 9-12.
- (C) Possess a written course of study plan showing how students will progress as an ECHS graduate. The plan must provide pathways to a baccalaureate degree and follow the courses and fields of study listed in the THECB Lower Division Academic Course Guide Manual.
- (D) Beginning in the TTIPS first year of full-implementation, the campus will provide academic supports to the students in the form of: extended learning time sessions for tutoring, advisory and/or college readiness support time built into the program of study, and a college-readiness mentorship program.
- (E) Beginning in the TTIPS planning/pre-implementation year, the campus will provide social and emotional supports to the students, including: connections to social services, parent outreach and involvement opportunities.
- (F) Beginning in the TTIPS first year of full-implementation, the campus will provide college awareness and access services to students and families, including: college application assistance, financial aid counseling, college and career counseling.

#### Adapted from Texas Early College High School Blueprint, Benchmark 4.

10. By the TTIPS first year of full-implementation, the campus shall provide for the administration of the Texas Success Initiative (TSI) college placement exam to students in order to assess college readiness, design individual instruction plans, and enable students to begin college courses based on their performance. Fees associated with assessment administrations must be waived/covered for all students.

#### Adapted from Texas Early College High School Blueprint, Benchmark 5.

- 11. By the start of the TTIPS second year of full-implementation (Fall 2017), the campus will provide a full-day program that operates with:
  - (A) An IHE liaison with decision-making authority who interacts directly and frequently with the campus staff and administrators;
  - (B) A highly qualified teaching staff possessing appropriate level of certification, training and ongoing supports to teach college-bearing courses to high school students.
  - (C) Clear opportunities for students to have regular use (at least six times per school year) of college academic facilities, regardless of early college school site.
  - (D) Opportunities for high school faculty and staff to receive regular training and support; in collaboration with the IHE faculty and staff.

#### Adapted from Texas Early College High School Blueprint, Benchmark 6.

The Texas concept for an Early College High School is fully described in the following resources:

- Texas Education Agency, Early College High School program
- Texas Education Code §29,908
- Texas Administrative Code §4.161
- 19 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 102 Educational Programs Subchapter GG: Commissioner's Rules Concerning Early College Education Program

The applicant provides assurances that the LEA/campus administering the state-design model will apply for Texas ECHS designation, no later than applications are available for schools that wish to be designated for the 2018-2019 school year.

The LEA/campus provides assurance that if it selects to implement the Early Learning Intervention Model, the campus will implement in an elementary school and in accordance with the following federal and state requirements:

1. Implement in an elementary school that is eligible under this grant program; further assuring that any student receiving services funded through the grant program is enrolled in the grantee school.

Offer full-day kindergarten.

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3. Establish or expand a high-quality preschool program. A high-quality program includes structural elements that are evidence-based and nationally recognized as important for ensuring quality. Implementation under this grant program must meet the requirements of a high-quality preschool program, as defined in the U.S. Department of Education's Preschool Development Grants program. Under this definition, program must have:

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- (A) High staff qualifications, including a teacher with a bachelor's degree in early childhood education or a bachelor's degree in any field with a state-approved alternative pathway;
- (B) High-quality professional development for all staff;
- (C) A child-to-instructional staff ratio of no more than 10 to 1;
- (D) A class size of no more than 20 with, at a minimum, one teacher with high staff qualifications;
- (E) A full-day program;
- (F) Inclusion of children with disabilities to ensure access to and full participation in all opportunities;
- (G) Developmentally appropriate, culturally and linguistically responsive curricula, and learning environments that are aligned with the state early learning and development standards for at least the year prior to kindergarten entry;
- (H) Individualized accommodations and supports so that all children can access and participate fully in learning activities;
- (I) Instructional staff salaries that are comparable to the salaries of local K-12 instructional staff;
- (J) Program evaluation to ensure continuous improvement;
- (K) On-site or accessible comprehensive services for children and community partnerships that promote families' access to services that support their children's learning and development;
- (L) Evidence-based health and safety standards.
- 4. Provide educators, including preschool teachers, time for joint planning across grade levels.
- 5. Replace the principal who led the school prior to the commencement of the early learning model.
- 6. Use rigorous, transparent, and equitable evaluation systems for teachers and principals that-
  - (A) Take into account data on student growth as a significant factor as well as other factors such as multiple observation-based assessments of performance and ongoing collections of professional practice reflective of student achievement and increased high school graduation rates; and
  - (B) Are designed and developed with teacher and principal involvement;
- 7. Identify and reward school leaders, teachers, and other staff who, in implementing this model, have increased student achievement and high school graduation and completion rates; and identify and remove those who, after ample opportunities have been provided for them to improve their professional practice, have not done so.
- Implement strategies such as financial incentives, increased opportunities for promotion and career growth, and more flexible work conditions that are designed to recruit, place, and retain high quality educators.
- 9. Use data to identify and implement an instructional program that is:
  - (A) Research-based:
  - (B) Developmentally appropriate:
  - (C) Vertically aligned from one grade to the next as well as aligned with State academic standards;
  - (D) Promotes academic content across a range of development: math and science, literacy and language, socio-emotional skills, self-regulation, and executive functions.
- 10. Promote the continuous use of student data (such as from formative, interim, and summative assessments) to inform and differentiate instruction in order to meet the academic needs of individual students.
- 11. Provide staff with ongoing, high-quality, job-embedded professional development such as coaching and mentoring that is:
  - (A) Aligned with the school's comprehensive instructional program
  - (B) Designed with school staff to ensure that they are equipped to facilitate effective teaching and learning and have the capacity to implement school reform strategies.
- 12. Operate in compliance with all regulations in the Texas Pre-Kindergarten Guidelines (PKG).
- 13. Utilize Texas State Board of Education approved pre-kindergarten instructional materials.
- 14. Enroll in the Children's Learning Institute (CLI), CLI Engage platform, and utilize the Texas School Readyl child progress monitoring assessments with pre-kindergarten students.

If selecting the Early Learning Intervention model and receiving these grant funds to support the implementation, the full-day kindergarten and full-day pre-kindergarten programs must be offered free of charge to all enrolled students.

The LEA/campus provides assurance that if it selects to implement the <u>Turnaround Model</u>, the campus will meet all of the following federal requirements:

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candidates in a formative assessment of their turnaround leadership capacity. The LEA/campus provides assurance that if it selects to implement the Whole-School Reform Model, the

campus will meet all of the following federal requirements:

- - school reform models in one or more low-achieving school.
- 2. The whole-school reform model selected must be supported by at least one study that demonstrates its efficacy. The federal SIG office has approved specific whole-school reform models that meet this evidence standard, published here: http://www2.ed.gov/programs/sif/sigevidencebased/index.html These approved models are supported by:
  - (A) A study of efficacy that meets What Works Clearinghouse evidence standards.
  - (B) A study that shows statistically significant favorable impact on student academic achievement or attainment outcome.
  - (C) A study which used a large sample and multi-site sampling.

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- 3. Evidence supporting the efficacy of the whole-school model selected is based on an implementation with a sample population or setting similar to the population or setting of the school being served. The whole-school model must be designed to improve academic achievement or attainment.
- The whole-school model must implement the model for all students in the school.

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18.	The applicant provides assurance that a team from the grantee L orientation meetings, technical assistance meetings, and other provided in Education Conference, and sharing of best practices.	eriodic meetings of grantees, the Advancing
19.	The applicant provides assurance that it will continue to fully eng Accountability Interventions System (TAIS) framework; regardles All TTIPS grant awarded schools are required to submit an annureports documenting school's continuous processes around data implementation and monitoring; as delineated in the TAIS framework of the training of the training of the training and complement existing school improvement strattapproved TTIPS grant, in order to effectively deliver a single and	as of model selected for implementation. al improvement plan and quarterly progress a analysis, needs assessment, planning, work. es assurance that it will engage in necessary tegies, goals and interventions in their final
20.	The applicant provides assurance that at the close of the pre-implementation Readiness Portfolio to the TEA TTIPS program of included in the Program Guidelines for this RFA.  The applicant understands that support specialists in the TEA TT review and assessment of the Implementation Readiness Portfol observations and staff interviews. The applicant assures it will explain the clarifications and adjustments to the portfolio, based on the reviews.	office. Specific requirements for the portfolio are  TIPS program office will conduct a comprehensive lio and qualitative data obtained through onsite ngage with the TEA program office to provide
21.	The applicant provides assurances that it will participate in and m support provided by TEA and/or its subcontractors.	nake use of technical assistance and coaching
22.	The applicant will participate in formative assessments of the LE grant intervention models.	A's capacity and commitment to carry out the
23.	The applicant will provide access for onsite visits to the LEA and	campus by TEA and its contractors.
24.	The LEA/campus assures TEA that data to meet federal requirer A list of required data elements is included in the Program Guide	

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#### Schedule #5—Program Executive Summary

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Provide a brief overview of the program you plan to deliver.

Please focus the response on the qualities that enable this specific campus and district team to achieve foundational pursuits of a school improvement undertaking: accelerated achievement, system transformation, and sustained reform.

Summarize the district commitments to achieve foundational elements through the district's:

- Vision and focus for school reform
- · Sense of urgent need for change
- High expectations for results
- Operational flexibilities that will be afforded the campus in a reform effort

Summarize the district and campus capacity and ability to benefit from this grant in terms of:

- Organizational structures
- · Existing capacity and resources
- Communication structures

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The *iAchieve* school Transformation program at De Zavala Middle School will allow the campus and Pasadena Independent School District (Pasadena ISD) to meet the foundational elements of school improvement, and move De Zavala toward exiting Focus Progress school status. By providing multiple layers of support, the program will positively affect the student groups identified as in need of most improvement- Long Term English Language Learners; English Language Learners; Special Education students; and At-Risk students. The program includes two components: 1) Connect to Personalized Learning and 2) Engage the School and the Community.

The centerpiece of the project will be the Connect to Personalized Learning component. Simply known as the "Connect Program" in Pasadena ISD, this component is based on the proven success of the Summit Public School Model. Tailored to specifically address the academic needs of Pasadena ISD students and help them meet the state standards, the Connect Program focuses on the pieces listed in the chart to the right.

Main Learning	Elements of the
Objectives	Connect Program

The above pieces are widely regarded as keys to student success, but the innovative delivery method is what sets the Connect Program (Summit Public School Model) apart. Developed by Facebook engineers, each student works in a full-fledged, scalable Personalized Learning Platform (PLP). The PLP delivers self-paced content (with multiple learning formats based on student choice) in a digital format, real-time assessment and data for students and teachers, and access to rigorous projects. With teacher guidance, students are able to plan, organize and prioritize their learning based on their individual needs, learning styles, and goals. In order to progress to the next module, students must be at 80% mastery of the current module. This personalized learning will be especially useful for the varying proficiency levels of English Language Learners and special education students. Piloted at three schools within the district through partnerships with the Summit Public School and Raise Your Hand Texas Personalized (Blended) Learning, the new IAchieve program will allow Pasadena ISD to quickly scale up the Connect Program for the struggling students attending De Zavala Middle School.

The *iAchieve* program will meet the foundational elements of school improvement through: *ACCELERATED ACHIEVEMENT*: Vision and focus for school reform. In the Fall, 2014, Pasadena ISD administration, staff, and community members spent several months creating a five-year strategic plan. Within the plan, there is a focus on "ensuring rigorous curriculum and meaningful experiences through innovative learning environments to meet the individual needs of each student." In response, the district is committing to implement a strong, research-based, *Transformation* program at De Zavala called *iAchieve*. The program supports the focus of Pasadena ISD to educate all students using the most effective instructional methods available, including helping students with academic issues achieve targeted progress quickly and efficiently, while maintaining rigor and high academic standards.

Sense of urgent need for change. Pasadena ISD has four schools identified as Focus schools. Of the district's 11 middle schools, De Zavala is the only campus identified as a Focus Progress school on the 2015-16 Priority/Focus List. To address De Zavala's needs, the district began the task of repairing the school culture, improving student teacher morale, and addressing gaps in instruction. After a comprehensive needs assessment, district administrators and De Zavala staff identified four areas of concern requiring immediate resolution – instructional deficiencies; focused learning time;

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#### Schedule #5—Program Executive Summary (cont.)

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Provide a brief overview of the program you plan to deliver. Refer to the instructions for a description of the requested elements of the summary. Response is limited to space provided, front side only, font size no smaller than 10 point Arial.

individualized learning options; and lack of parental/community engagement. While the district commitment to addressing these needs is in progress, the De Zavala staff understands more change is necessary now. Pasadena ISD is in the middle of a five-year process to incorporate some level of Personalized Learning Strategies on every campus. Despite having the lowest 2016 STAAR scores among middle schools in the district, De Zavala is not scheduled to begin this process until 2018, and only for a small group of students at that time. The campus leadership team recognized the immediate need at De Zavala. Demonstrating operational flexibility, district administrators worked with the campus to develop the comprehensive iAchieve program for De Zavala to make this change sooner rather than later.

**SYSTEM TRANSFORMATION**: <u>High expectations for results.</u> De Zavala will transform the campus systems in place to be flexible, rigorous, and effective through the proposed *iAchieve* program. Each component of the program includes purposeful interventions designed to meet TEA's Critical Success Factors and address De Zavala deficiencies.

The expectation for results is high as the interventions selected have shown success at schools with demographics similar to De Zavala. Many of the interventions (e.g. Personalized Learning Platform; sheltered instruction, school climate improvement, leadership staff coaching) have been implemented on a small scale throughout the district with positive results. Via the *iAchieve* program, the expectation is De Zavala will experience the same success.

**SUSTAINED REFORM:** Existing capacity and resources. With the high expectation for success, the district believes the **IAchleve** program will produce lasting results and systemic change for the school that can be sustained and further replicated. Pasadena ISD has the **organizational structures** to support the reform that will take place at the campus. Along with support from the Board of Trustees, the following services exist to assist and sustain the reforms:

PERSONNEL/DEPARTMENT	SERVICES PROVIDED
Superintendent	Guide administrative team to assure improvement strategies follow district strategic plan focus; Update Board of Trustees on progress.
Deputy Superintendent, Associate Superintendent of Campus Development	Assure program implementation aligns to district improvement and strategic plans, and follows needs assessment-based school improvement model.
Texas Accountability Intervention System (TAIS) Coordinator	Provide focused assistance to the principal and grant coordinator to ensure student achievement is increasing.
Accounting Department	Oversee fiscal stewardship of grant funds; Assure and federal requirements are met, and financial reports are completed and submitted on time.
Payroll Department	Assure grant funded positions are paid accordingly.
De Zavala Middle School Principal	Work with the grant coordinator to ensure all grant activities are completed with fidelity and leadership team attends all grant implementation meetings.
Grant Compliance Coordinator	Assure grant goals are met, grant and grant budget are implemented with fidelity, meets statutory requirements; follows district policies/procedures.
Department of Innovation and Development	Assure proper training, coaching, and professional development needs of teachers are met in order to implement innovative teaching strategies.

The *iAchieve* program will also benefit from a long-standing relationship with the nearby San Jacinto Community College, whom the district has collaborated with on a variety of federal, state and local grants. In addition, Pasadena ISD has been chosen as a demonstration site for the Summit Public School Model and Raise Your Hand Personalized Learning.

Communication structures. Proper communication with the staff, community, and campus and district administration will determine the effectiveness of the program. The grant coordinator will maintain ongoing communication with all stakeholders. Grant implementation team meetings will take place every month to share the highlights and issues. Progress of the program components will be shared in monthly staff meetings. Staff will also utilize a web-based system to track workshop attendance and complete annual evaluations. Staff and administrators will communicate using this system during the evaluation period. In addition, the TAIS Coordinator will act as the bridge/liaison between the Pasadena District Administration, the Texas Education Agency and the De Zavala campus.

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Schedule #9	Supplies and Materials (6300)	6300	\$112,974	0\$	\$141,942	0\$	\$92,414	\$0	\$53,414	\$0	\$400,744
Schedule #10	Other Operating Costs (6400)	6400	\$33,965	\$0	\$36,965	0\$	\$36,965	\$0	\$36,965	80	\$144,860
Schedule #11	Capital Outlay (6600)	6600	\$90,000	\$0	\$74,000	0\$	\$10,000	\$0	\$10,000	0\$	\$184,000
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Indirect costs are not required to be budgeted in the grant application in order to be charged to the grant. Do not submit an amendment solely for the purpose of budgeting indirect costs.

## NOTE:

- No more than \$2,000,000 per year may be requested.
- Year 1 is designed to be a planning/pre-implementation period, lasting from February 1, 2017 to July 31, 2017. Costs budgeted for this period should be reasonable and necessary for the shorter time period and type of activity.
  - Years 2, 3, and 4; operating in school years 2017-2018, 2018-2019, and 2019-2020, are designed to be full implementation years.

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**	Description of Service and Purpose	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Total Budgeted across all Years
Ψ_	External Evaluator - An external evaluator will assess the effectiveness and impact of the program interventions at De Zavala.	\$25,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$175,000
7	Professional Development and Training Workshops - Staff and leadership training on the various iAchieve interventions including, but not limited to, the Connect Program, Professional Learning Communities, and core content-specific trainings.	\$71,000	\$40,000	\$46,000	\$40,000	\$197,000
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			Schedule #9—Supplies and Materials (6300)	Dlies and M	aterials (63)	Q				
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	***	Student tablets/devices	Devices for the Connect Program with refresh devices purchased in Year 3	350	\$375	\$37,500	\$56,250	\$37,500	\$0	\$131,250
63XX	7	Teacher laptops/devices	Devices for Connect Program teachers with refresh devices purchased in Year 3	15	\$710	\$7,100	\$7,100	\$0	\$0	\$14,200
	3	Computer	Computers for the TTIPS grant coordinator and Secretary	2	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,000
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			Grand total:		\$112,974	\$141,942	\$92,414	\$53	\$53,414	\$400,744

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	Schedule #10Other Operating Costs (6400	Operating Costs	(6400)			
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	Expense Item Description	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Total Budgeted Across all Years
6411	Out-of-state travel for employees. Must be allowable per Program Guidelines and must attach Out-of-State Travel Justification Form.	4	es	<del>4</del> 7	₩	49
6412	Travel for students (includes registration fees; does not include field trips): Specific approval required only for nonprofit organizations. Specify purpose:	<b>G</b>	₩	49	<del>(A</del>	<b>6</b>
6412/ 6494	Educational Field Trip(s). Must be allowable per Program Guidelines and must attach Educational Field Trip Justification Form.	\$	8	₩	€9	4
6413	Stipends for non-employees other than those included in 6419	€5	4	₩	8	·s
6419	Non-employee costs for conferences. Requires authorization in writing.	€	G	49	↔	₩
6411/ 6419	Travel costs for officials such as Executive Director, Superintendent, or Local Board Members. Allowable only when such costs are directly related to the grant. Must be allowable per Program Guidelines and must attach Out-of-State Travel Justification Form, if applicable.	<del>(7)</del>	₩.	₩	₩.	v <del>s</del>
64XX	Advisory council/committee travel or other expenses Specify name and purpose of council: Specify types of costs:	₩	<del>(7</del>	vs.	<b>G</b>	vs.
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	Grand total:	\$33,965	\$36,965	\$36,965	\$36,965	\$144,860

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-	Books for the De Zavala library	N/A	N/A	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$40,000
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14	Teacher workstations for the Connect Program and the Resource teachers	20	\$400	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$0	0\$	\$8,000
15	Adjustable standing desks for students in the Connect Program and in Resource special education classes	325	\$70,000	\$60,000	\$0	\$0	0\$	\$130,000
16	Furniture to make the library middle school-friendly	30	\$6,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$6,000
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#### Schedule #12—Demographics and Participants to Be Served with Grant Funds

County-district number or vendor ID: 101-917

Amendment # (for amendments only):

Part 1: Student Demographics- Data. Enter the data requested for the population to be served by this grant program. If data is not available, enter DNA. Use required data source where indicated. Where not indicated, please cite data source used. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

Category	Number	Percent	Data Source
Total student enrollment	734		2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
African American student enrollment	18	2.5%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Hispanic student enrollment	682	92.9%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
White student enrollment	26	3.5%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Asian student enrollment	0	0%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Economically disadvantaged student enrollment	672	91.6%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Limited English proficient (LEP) student enrollment	293	39.9%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Special Education student enrollment	74	10.1%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Disciplinary referrals	626		2015-2016 PEIMS report
Disciplinary placements in In-School Suspension	506		2015-2016 PEIMS report #425; code #C164
Disciplinary placements in Out-of-School Suspension	98		2015-2016 PEIMS report #425; code #C164
Disciplinary placements in DAEP	21		2015-2016 PEIMS report #425; code #C164
Disciplinary referrals for Truancy	0		2015-2016 PEIMS report #425; code #C164
Attendance rate		96.2%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Annual dropout rate (Gr 9-12)		DNA	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Annual graduation rate (Gr 9-12)		DNA	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
STAAR / EOC met 2016 standard, mathematics (standard accountability indicator)	379	60%	TEA 2016 Accountability Summary Report.
STAAR / EOC met 2016 standard, reading / ELA (standard accountability indicator)	382	59%	TEA 2016 Accountability Summary Report.
ACT and/or SAT- Class of 2015, percent students Tested		DNA	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
ACT and/or SAT- Class of 2015, percent At/Above Criteria		DNA	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Average ACT score (number value, not a percentage)	DNA		2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Average SAT score (number value, not a percentage)	DNA		2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Graduates from Class of 2014 enrolled in a Texas Institution of Higher Education (IHE)		DNA	2013-2014 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance

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#### Schedule #12—Demographics and Participants to Be Served with Grant Funds (cont.)

County-district number or vendor ID: 101-917

Amendment # (for amendments only):

#### Part 2: Student Demographics-Comments

Please use this section to add a description of any data about students that was not specifically requested, but is important to understanding the population to be served by this grant program.

Additionally, use this space to describe trends in data, related to students seen over time in areas that are important to understanding your program plan. Applicants must include supporting evidence to explain trends. For example, projected enrollment growth would need to be supported with a report of percent gains in enrollment over the past several years. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

De Zavala Middle School is currently designated as a Focus Progress school. The most recent data shows a historical downward trend in student performance that started when the campus was put on the Annual Yearly Progress list. De Zavala Middle School is the only middle school performing below the district average in Science, (24 percentage points), math (16 percentage points), and reading (9 percentage points) and below the state average. Students attending De Zavala Middle attended Gardens Elementary School. Gardens Elementary has been identified as an Improvement Required school for the last three years. This status was removed for the 2016-17 school year. Hence, the students arrive at De Zavala with many deficiencies due to the challenges faced by Gardens in prior years.

Since 2012, De Zavala has exhibited a steady decline in special education reading, math and science performances. In that year, all three areas scored in the mid to upper 50 percentile, yet newly released data show special education reading at 35%, special education math 40% and special education science at 37%. The math and science scores are lower than the district average of 42% math and 41% science.

The campus' English Language Learner's (ELL) performance in reading is low. An area that was on the rise in 2012 and peaked in 2015 to a 67% passing rate, crashed this year slipping 29 percentage points to its current 38% performance score. Math scores also saw a decrease of one percentage point to 45%. Finally, the school's science program has underperformed across all subpopulations, especially in the last two years. All Students and the Hispanic student performances have flat lined at 50% passing and special education and ELL populations have not scored above 45% in the past two years with current data at 37% and 34%, respectively. Again, this is lower than the district average of 53% reading, 69% math, and 57% science.

The attendance rate on average is 97% which means that at any given time 23 students are absent each day affecting student learning. Already, there are 17 students who have missed three days in school since August. Moreover, the mobility rate is 29.64% which has trended up from 16% several years back. This tendency could also account for the rise in the at-risk student population which moved from 45.5% to its current 68.9%. De Zavala has a high concentration of homeless and migrant students with six of the 27 homeless students living in motels. Attendance, along with the rise in mobility, at-risk, and homeless/migrant students contribute to the widening of student learning gaps due to missed, inconsistent instruction. Thus, the overall achievement for the campus is low.

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#### Schedule #12—Demographics and Participants to Be Served with Grant Funds (cont.)

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Part 3: Staff Demographics- Data

Enter the data requested for the population to be served by this grant program. If data is not available, enter DNA. Use required data source where indicated. Where not indicated, please cite data source used.

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Category	Number	Percent	Data Source
Total Staff	81.3		2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Teachers	56.9	69.9%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Professional Support staff	6.9	8.5%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Campus Administration (School Leadership)	3	3.7%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Educational Aides	14.5	17.9%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
African American Teachers	3.7	6.6%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Hispanic Teachers	20	35.1%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
White Teachers	28.1	49.5%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Asian Teachers	4	7%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Beginning Teachers	15.9	27.9%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Teachers with 1-5 Years Experience	17	29.9%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Teachers with 6-10 Years Experience	15.7	27.7%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Teachers with 11-20 Years Experience	7.2	12.7%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Teachers with over 20 Years Experience	1	1.8%	2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Average salary- Beginning Teachers	50,333		2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Average salary- Teachers with 1-5 Years	50,521		2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Average salary- Teachers with 6-10 Years	52,756		2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Average salary- Teachers with 11-20 Years	55,751		2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Average salary- Teachers with over 20 Years Experience	66,807		2014-2015 Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR), Campus Performance
Staff with less than a bachelor's degree	21	24.42%	Lawson Software and transcripts rec'd by Pasadena Independent School District Human Resources Dept.
Staff with Bachelor's degree as highest level attained	50	58.14%	Lawson Software and transcripts rec'd by Pasadena Independent School District Human Resources Dept.
Staff with Master's degree as highest level attained	13	15.12%	Lawson Software and transcripts rec'd by Pasadena Independent School District Human Resources Dept.
Staff with Doctoral degree as highest level attained	2	2.33%	Lawson Software and transcripts rec'd by Pasadena Independent School District Human Resources Dept.

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Part 4: Staff Demographics- Comments Please use this section to add a description of any data abimportant to understanding the population to be served by trends in data related to campus staff seen over time in are Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use	this grant program. Additionally, use this space to describe as that are important to understanding your program plan.
	.), De Zavala has few teachers with the English as a Second ive ESL strategies to provide high-quality instruction to these
	tudents often need the support of a caring adult to help them rkshops will aid the teachers at De Zavala in reaching out to
Leadership development is important at a campus with a neprevious member of the campus staff. Developing the leader understands the vision of the principal and the district in he identification. As the leadership understands how quality in instruction will improve along with student achievement.	ership at De Zavala is crucial to ensuring everyone lping De Zavala leave behind the Focus-Progress

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	Part 5: Students to Be Served with Grant Funds. Enter the number of students in each grade to be served under the grant program. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.													
PK (3-4) K 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 Total														
0	0	0	0	0	0	377	357	0	0	0	0	0	0	734

#### Part 6: Teachers to Be Served with Grant Funds.

Enter the number of teachers in each grade to be served under the grant program.

In indicating numbers for Teachers, duplicate counts are permitted. For example, if a teacher instructs sections of 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grades, that teacher should be counted for each of those grade levels. It is understood that this might elevate the total count of teachers on this table. The actual, unduplicated number of teachers is captured in the Staff Demographics-Data table.

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PK	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
0	0	0	0	0	0	38	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	75

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#### Schedule #13-Needs Assessment

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Continuous improvement is a systematic approach in school reform, including processes for data analysis, problem identification, root cause analysis, goal setting, intervention design, implementation, monitoring, and evidenced-based progress reporting.

Part 1: Process Description. Describe the process and activities in which you engaged to conduct a data analysis and needs assessment; and select the model, goals, and interventions to be implemented under this grant. In the description, include the team members involved in the planning process, frequency and timeline of planning meetings, and key activities/strategies used to facilitate decision making.

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Planning Process and Timeline of Meetings: In the pursuit of school improvement and exit from the Focus Progress school status, a Campus and Community Needs Assessment (CNA) was conducted. Led by the School Principal, the CNA included input from a combination of sources – the District Strategic Plan, Community Assessment for District Strategic Plan, Community Meetings/Parent Input, Youth Truth Student Survey, and Campus Data Analysis. Information was collected in a variety of ways from January 2016 – August 2016.

January	Mav	August-September
Strategic Plan 🚿	Parent Community Data Apalysis	CIP Development TTIPS Program
Assessment /	Input Data Arraiysis	Development Development

**Key Activities/Strategies in Decision Making Process:** The information and data collected for the CNA was analyzed by the Grant Implementation Team, consisting of the principal, TAIS Coordinator, Associate Superintendent of Campus Development, content area specialists, and the administrative team. This team developed a Campus Improvement Plan (CIP). To create the CIP, the Grant Implementation Team identified three areas of need:

- 1) Long Term English Language Learners (LTELLs) and English Language Learners (ELLs) need improvement in all subjects, with a focus on Math and Reading 45% Met Standard for Math (60% Met Standard School Wide) and 38% Met Standard for Reading (59% Met Standard School Wide)
- 2) Special education students need improvement in all subjects, with a focus on Reading 35% Met Standard for Reading (59% Met Standard School Wide)
- 3) Economically Disadvantaged students (eligible for the Free and Reduced Lunch program) and At-Risk Students, need improvement in Science 50% of all students Met Standard in Science, 50% economically disadvantaged, 37% special education students and 34% English Language Learners.
  \*STAAR 2016 Data

While some of these issues can be attributed to the low performing feeder school Gardens Elementary (Improvement Required Status, 2013-2015), the thorough needs assessment process brought to light four main areas of root causes: Instructional Delivery Deficiencies; Insufficient Focused Learning Time; Few Individualized Learning Options; and Lack of Parental/Community Engagement and School Climate. Root cause analysis led to the identification of strategies designed to ensure the Campus Improvement Plan addressed the Critical Success Factors required to move out of Focus Progress status. See table the below for a summary of some of the strategies chosen and their relation to the Root Causes.

Instructional Delivery ຮູ Deficiencies	Insufficient Focused Learning Time	Few Individualized Learning Options	
Platform; Blended Learning;	Summer Bootcamp/ Bridge Program; Extended Day-Learning Activities; Project-based, experiential learning; Small group learning	Expanded Bilingual Instruction Team; Print-rich environment;	Weekend/Community Programming; Mobile Library; School Pride Program

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Part 2: Model Selection and Best-Fit. Indicate the single intervention implementation. Note that applicants are limited to select, design and one model and not a combination of models.		
with Rural LEA Flexibility modification		
Texas State-Design Model		
☐ Early Learning Intervention Model		
☐ Turnaround		
with Rural LEA Flexibility modification		
☐ Whole-School Reform		
Restart		
☐ Closure		
Part 3: Please describe/demonstrate why the selected Intervention school. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use A		
Following De Zavala's needs assessment, data analysis, research of best practices, and a review of the programmatic improvements	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	DE ZAVALA IDENTIFIED NEEDS
required by the Department of Education, the <b>Transformation</b>	Increase Teacher/	Stronger Instruction
model was selected as the best way to meet De Zavala's unique	School Leader	
needs and eliminate the root causes of their academic struggles.	Effectiveness	
To achieve a successful transformation, adjustments are necessary at multiple levels. Parents will have to adapt to a new learning	Deliver Comprehensive	Instructional Deficiencies

format. Students will become the leaders in their own education. Teachers will also have a major transition. In the Connect Program. teachers play more of a facilitator role, incorporating data-driven decisions to mentor and guide self-paced student learning.

U.S. DEPARTMENT	DE ZAVALA
OF EDUCATION	IDENTIFIED NEEDS
Increase Teacher/ School Leader Effectiveness	Stronger Instruction
Deliver Comprehensive	Instructional
Instruction Reform	Deficiencies
Increase Learning Time	Focused Learning, Individualized Learning
Create Community	Parent/Community
Oriented Schools	Engagement

The two-component iAchieve program incorporates proven, evidenced-based strategies and interventions geared toward transforming De Zavala and meeting the needs of the targeted students. The first component, Connect to Personalized Learning, focuses on - Personalized Learning, a highly successful, student-centered, personalized learning model popularized by the Summit Public School in California: Connect Program and Response to Intervention Training for Teachers, comprehensive training that will include a two week boot camp, six days of professional development, shadowing and observation of current Connect Teachers, and monthly video conferences to reflect and improve; Sheltered Instruction, a research-based instruction model proven to improve academic achievement among English language learners and special education students; and Targeted Interventions, performed by Intervention Specialists and teachers, this strategy proactively addresses academic problems through data-driven analysis and coordinated efforts to reach all students in need. The second component, Engage the School and Community, focuses on two connect strategies - Student and Parent Engagement in Education, and School Climate. Effective engagement can include school clubs, out-of-school activities and parent participation opportunities. A comprehensive school climate that includes well communicated expectations and goals helps foster a sense of community and pride among students and parents. Both strategies have been shown to improve student outcomes and achievement in middle and high school students; thus, the Transformation model was selected to address the needs of the students at De Zavala Middle School through systemic change.

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#### Schedule #13—Needs Assessment (cont.)

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Part 4: Model Selection-Stakeholder Input. Please describe how student families and community members were engaged in the needs assessment and planning process:

- Describe specific actions the campus/district took to solicit input from these stakeholders in selecting the model.
- Describe how this input was taken into consideration when selecting the model.
- Describe plans to meaningfully engage families and the community in the implementation of the selected model on an ongoing basis.

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Actions taken to solicit input from stakeholders: De Zavala families and community members were engaged in the needs assessment and planning process through formal and informal meetings with school staff. The Parent Coordinator and Parent Liaison for the Campus conducted smaller meetings with committed parent volunteers to solicit specific feedback from parents and community members Of those who attended these meetings, two major concerns were made apparent: 1) reading and math deficiencies, especially among English Language Learners and special education students, exist in high percentages and need attention; and 2) the slow progress bilingual students seem to make from their predominantly Spanish-speaking environments to successful integration into an English-speaking world. Community input was combined with the campus planning team's needs assessment and data analysis. The qualitative data collected from parents and community members indicated the Transformation model interventions would receive strong support.

In addition a district-wide parent engagement and needs survey was administered in order to solicit feedback about ways the district could better meet the needs of both its students and their families. De Zavala parents participated in the survey which included questions about how well the school provides guidance for families, whether or not the school places a strong enough emphasis on appropriate instruction and intervention to ensure mastery of grade level skills, and whether or not the school provides appropriate and adequate enrichment opportunities. Additional survey questions took into consideration assistance parents feel they need in order to better help their students succeed in school and the specific resources parents need to prepare their students for intermediate school, both academically and socially. In general, results of the survey indicated strong support for interventions associated with the *iAchieve* program.

How input was considered in selecting the model: De Zavala received input from parents and community members and is committed to making improvements based on the input they received. All survey responses, as well as notes from parent/community meetings were presented to the planning team and discussed as school improvement plans were refined. Many of the interventions planned for addressing parental/community engagement issues were direct results of the feedback received from parents and community members.

Continued and meaningful engagement of families and the community: Parents and community members will be actively engaged throughout the implementation of De Zavala's *iAchieve* program. Through formal and informal meetings and discussions, campus volunteer opportunities and educational workshops, completion of surveys, and participation in focus groups, parents and community members will be asked for feedback regarding program implementation. Planned engagement activities include: a campus-based parent volunteer program; monthly parent meetings with the Parent Liaison; themed, activity-based curriculum nights; nutrition, health, and other educational classes, workshops, fairs, and seminars; and involvement in Charlas, a partnership with Houston A+ Challenge to present a series of "chats" with parents designed to provide tools to help parents plan for and assist their children with educational pursuits.

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#### Schedule #14—Management Plan

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Part 1: Staff Role and Qualifications. List campus and district personnel projected to be involved in the implementation and delivery of the program. Include all positions funded in whole or part by grant resources, along with those personnel involved in the implementation, but not funded through the grant. Provide a brief description of the position role/function in the grant; and desired qualifications, type and years of experience, and requested certifications. Ensure that the list and descriptions demonstrate the district will provide effective oversight and support for implementation of the selected model. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

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#	Title	Role/Function in Grant	Desired Qualifications, Experience, Certifications		
1.	District Coordinator of School Improvement (DCSI) (required)	Ensure the <i>iAchieve</i> program components align with the district strategic plan, will work with TEA as a decision-making representative of the district, and regularly monitor the progress of the program, as needed.	Master's degree; Mid Management Certificate; Certified as an appraiser; Minimum of ten years of experience as a classroom teacher and ten years of administrative experience; Three years of campus leadership at a TEA Exemplary or Recognized campus preferred.		
2.	Principal	Direct and manage the instructional program and supervise the operations at the campus level, working closely with the grant coordinator to ensure the fidelity of implementation of all components of the <i>iAchieve</i> program.	Master's degree in Educational Administration; s at the campus Mid-Management Certificate; Certificate in Professional Development Appraisal System; three years' experience as a classroom		
3.	Grant Coordinator	Provide campus-based management and oversight of all grant activities.	Bachelor's degree; three years of experience as a classroom teacher; three years as a campus leader; experience with program implementation.		
4.	Teachers (4)	Provide high-quality instruction to prepare students in Science, Math, Social Studies, and English/Language Arts.  Bachelor's degree from accredited u Valid Texas teaching certificate with certification for subject and level ass			
5.	Intervention Specialists (2)	Provide small group support in Reading and Math with a focus on English Language Learners and students in special education programs.	Bachelor's degree; must meet TEA certification and/or endorsement requirements; Ability to establish good relationships with parents and other staff members. Bilingual preferred.		
6.	Grant Secretary	Support the grant coordinator with administrative duties such as setting up professional development workshops and conferences, completing office tasks, and ordering resources for the program.	High School Diploma or GED; Proficiency in general office/secretarial skills to include excellent computer skills; Three or more years of advanced secretarial experience.		
7.	TAIS Coordinator	Monitor the progress of the <i>iAchieve</i> program to ensure the Critical Success Factors are utilized in the overall grant implementation; serve as the district liaison between the campus and administration.	Master's degree; Mid Management Certificate; Certified as an appraiser; Minimum of ten years of experience as a classroom teacher and ten years of administrative experience.		
8.	Connect Coach	Support and coach the teachers using the Connect model as they transition to a new way of instruction.	Bachelor's degree from accredited university; Valid Texas teaching certificate; three years of experience as a classroom teacher experience with the Connect model.		
9,	Science Liaison	Manage the science activities to reinforce the student expectations; organize field explorations.  Bachelor's degree from accredited unive Valid Texas teaching certificate; three ye experience as a classroom teacher.			

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Part 2: External Provider Role and Qualifications. List all external provider contractors/consultants, selected by the district/campus, that are projected to be involved in the implementation and delivery of the program. Provide a brief description of the provider's unique function in the grant; and desired qualifications, experience, and requested certifications. Do **not** include contractors/consultants provided by the TTIPS SEA office (PSP, TCDSS or TEA staff). Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

#	Title	Role/Function in Grant	Desired Qualifications, Experience,
1.	Harris County Department of Education	This contractor will model strong math instruction and help teachers with techniques proven successful with struggling learners.	Certifications  Master teachers and administrators with a strong instructional skills; Master's degree in content area of workshops. Eight years or more experience in a middle school classroom and three years' experience in a campus leadership position.
2.	Region IV Educational Service Center	This contractor will work with campus teachers to develop strong coaching strategies and assist with lesson development and modeling to assist specialists as they work with reading, math, and science teachers to improve instruction.	Master teachers and administrators with a strong instructional skills; Master's degree in content area of workshops. Eight years or more experience in a middle school classroom and three years' experience in a campus leadership position.
3.	External Evaluator	The external evaluator will provide formative and summative monitoring of the effectiveness of the <i>iAchieve</i> program activities, create protocols for collecting data, and identify problems with implementation.	Experience evaluating programs with numerous activities and the ability to analyze and share useful data to the grant implementation team.
4.	Houston A+ Challenge	The contractor will help the administrative staff master teacher coaching that results in effective instruction for students.	Master teachers and administrators with a strong instructional skillset; Master's degree in content area of workshops. Eight years or more experience in a middle school classroom and three years' experience in a campus leadership position.
5.	San Jacinto College	College students attending San Jacinto College through the Pasadena Early College High School will serve as mentors and tutors for students at De Zavala. Additionally, San Jacinto College staff will provide workshops for parents and students on saving for college and what to expect in college.	Tutors: Completed six college credits; experience working with middle school students; Workshop presenters: Knowledgeable about college preparation and goal setting with middle school students.
6.	BUILD Partnership	The partner will work to have hands-on lessons using the weak Student Expectation's (SE) and connecting with students hands-on activities, Saturday Farmers Market, and work on the farm-to-table concept.	Experience with hydroponic farming for over ten years; ability to tie student farming to the science SE's.
7.			

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**Part 3: Commitment and Succession.** Describe how the campus and district will ensure that all project participants remain committed to the project's success. Describe your succession management strategies and how this will enable the campus and district to deliver continuous high-quality programming when there are changes in key project personnel. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

Pasadena ISD is highly committed to the success of the *iAchieve* program. Key milestones during the implementation period will include: the hiring of a grant coordinator, Connect Coach, and other grant related staff; the purchase of supplies, equipment and other materials required to begin implementation; and training of appropriate personnel and staff to smoothly operate the Connect Program. In addition, the district will form a grant implementation team which will meet monthly to assess the effectiveness of the program initiatives and identify areas were modifications are needed. The team will consist of the: Principal; Counselor; grade-level team leads; campus grant coordinator; District Coordinator of School Improvement; Associate Superintendent for Campus Development; Intervention Specialists; district Middle School Math Instructional Specialist; district Middle School English/Language Arts Instructional Specialist; Connect Coach; and the District Coordinator for TAIS Campus Support.

Program Participant Commitment: Pasadena ISD's grant management process will be campus-based. The day-to day grant implementation will be managed by a campus-based grant coordinator. This structure will establish and maintain program participants' commitment to the goals of the iAchieve program. The coordinator will keep his/her "finger on the pulse" of all program activities and participants, working with the principal to make necessary modifications when issues arise. The implementation team will regularly review program data to ensure morale is high and the participants are focused on implementing high-quality instruction to all students each year. The team will look at data from quarterly surveys, focus groups, and grade-level meeting minutes, and immediately work with the principal and grant coordinator to respond to areas where modifications are needed. Further, De Zavala Middle School will invest in every teacher through the high-quality, research-based professional development opportunities throughout the year. Substitute teachers will be available to allow the teachers to increase their instructional knowledge through workshops during the school day. As an acknowledgement of their efforts to acquire and implement instructional methods which ultimately improve student performance, teachers will have the opportunity to participate in an incentive program specifically designed, with input from the De Zavala staff, that rewards staff for academic growth.

The principal will supervise the grant coordinator who will monitor and manage the *iAchieve* program activities. The District Coordinator of School Improvement will support the principal and grant coordinator by assuring that district resources are available and that program implementation is aligned with the district's strategic plan. Collectively, these activities will assure the participants remain committed to the success of the program.

Succession Management Strategy: Maintaining the continuity of program implementation is vital to the success of the *iAchieve* program. Changes in key program personnel may occur over the five-year grant period. Thus, Pasadena ISD will train all staff on the key interventions which include: sheltered instruction, Connect personalized learning, Response to Intervention and special education strategies. The training will occur every year with teachers receiving training two years in a row and new teachers added into trainings when they join the De Zavala staff. Trainings will mainly take place during the summer and afterschool with some workshops offered during the school year. Additionally, some teachers will receive training to become a trainer in the different interventions allowing De Zavala to build the capacity of staff knowledgeable about research-based, results-yielding instructional methods. Thus, if a change in key program personnel occurs, De Zavala will have the staff on hand to conduct training for new staff members on the best practices used in the classrooms across the campus. The district has other Connect Coaches who can also assist De Zavala if there is a change in key personnel. This will keep the instructional delivery and methods consistent with no interruption in the fidelity of implementation practices and strategies. Further, should key staff leave, a well-trained member of the current staff will step into the role for an interim period, under the guidance of the grant coordinator, until the role has been permanently filled.

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**Part 4: Sustainability.** What elements of your proposed project are designed to significantly increase capacity or create a lasting change to campus culture and practices that shall be sustained after the grant period ends? How will the LEA provide support to sustain the reform after the grant period ends?

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The *iAchieve* program has developed activities and an infrastructure designed to promote academic success for students during and beyond the grant period. The structure that Pasadena ISD will build to support the campus-based interventions implemented through the *iAchieve* program will be sustained after the grant period ends.

#### **Creating Lasting Campus Culture Change:**

Through the *iAchieve* program, De Zavala Middle School will experience lasting instructional transformation and improvement beyond the life of the grant by permanently transforming the culture, operation, and infrastructure on the campus. At a minimum, the following activities and programming will extend beyond the life of the grant and become standard practices at De Zavala Middle School:

- A coaching process to develop instructional leadership skills;
- A coaching process and professional development opportunities to transform classroom instructional skills and;
- The use of data to inform instruction for each student:
- Instructional resources that are matched to the depth of instruction needed to respond to the academic
  deficiencies of the students;
- Ensuring mastery at 80% for all students on all standards; and
- Engagement of parents and community members through activities such as English as a Second Language classes and the hydroponic garden, Saturday programming through a mobile library, and parent skill building in a Parent Camp.

#### **Increase Capacity**

Pasadena ISD's goal is to ensure school improvement activities are implemented with fidelity. The *iAchieve* program will build the capacity at De Zavala in order to successfully implement the grant program. De Zavala will strive to implement the following milestones:

- Hire additional support staff (two intervention specialists –one for reading and one for math to provide small group instruction with a focus on ELL and special education students);
- Hire a team of four teachers for the core subjects -math, English/Language Arts, science, and social studies with bilingual certifications to decrease the teacher the student ratio to 18:1;
- Train all staff on effective instructional strategies for all students, specifically English language learners and special education students:
- Train key staff on interventions through a "Train the Trainer" model to allow the campus to train new teachers on campus-wide strategies at a reasonable cost;
- Work with a district-paid grant compliance coordinator who will: ensure the grant funds are used responsibly
  according to the grant description and federal and state requirements and that the program is implemented with
  fidelity; provide grant implementation training; and support and assist the grant coordinator with progress
  reports.
- Collaborate with a grant implementation team to establish a system of checks and balances to ensure all
  aspects of the school improvement program are implemented, operational, and effective. This group will use a
  system for modifying program components if desired outcomes are not occurring; and
- Attend and participate in, along with district leadership, various grant-related trainings, technical assistance
  meetings, and other periodic meetings of campus grant staff, teachers, and administrators.

#### Continued Funding and Support for Sustainability:

The program components needing continued funding beyond the grant year are activities and positions that are aligned to the district's long-range strategic plan. Thus, it is expected that if the program components have resulted in significant improvement, **the district will continue its funding and support**. These components include additional student educational opportunities such as tutorials, summer programming, parent workshops, and use of the personalized learning platform. In addition, the district will take on the grant-funded positions needed to continue the progress De Zavala will achieve. Pasadena ISD is committed to selecting, hiring and retaining high quality staff by providing salaries and benefits that are competitive with surrounding districts. In 2015, Pasadena was vote the 12<sup>th</sup> best place (large employer category) to work in Houston, the fourth largest city in the country. Thus, Pasadena ISD and De Zavala will continue their efforts to attract and retain effective staff.

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#### Schedule #15—Project Evaluation

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Part 1: Establishing Performance Measures. Describe the processes used to establish challenging yet attainable performance measures that will result in substantially improved student achievement and the campus' ability to exit lowest-performing status. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point. Analysis of data to assess student and campus needs were used to establish performance measures. Performance measures will include: number of students participating in the *Connect* Personalized Learning Program, number of students who are proficient in core subjects, student attendance rates, number of targeted interventions, student migration data, number of teachers and school leaders meeting effectiveness criteria the through use of the Texas Teacher Evaluation, and number of community/parent engagement events. Each of these measures is in alignment with the grant and with the district goals. In addition, the program will identify three specific goals to address major areas of need: 1) Improve academic achievement of English Language Learners (ELLs) and prepare them for a regular classroom; 2) Increase academic achievement of special education students; and 3) Improve teacher effectiveness. The chart below describes how the challenging yet attainable performance measures will be met.

	Goal 1: ELL Achievement	Goal 2: Special Education Achievement	Goal 3: Teacher Effectiveness
Challenges	15-16 STAAR performance (Pasadena ISD Middle Schools) – last in Spanish Reading and Math	performance (35% in Reading, 40% in Math, 37% in Science)	More than half (57.8%) of teachers have been teaching 5 years or less; 27.9% of those are first year.
Attain Goals	Personalized Learning; Add 4 Bilingual Certified Staff	Targeted Interventions; Reading and Math Specialists, P.I.E. Time (Personalized Intervention Time); Personalized learning	Incentives; Connect

To foster best practices and develop successful strategies to benefit the students and community, Professional Learning Communities will meet regularly to examine student work and teacher curriculum delivery intended to substantially increase student achievement and the campus' ability to exit low performance status. Further, the Principal and grant coordinator will provide ongoing feedback after classroom walk-throughs to teachers to improve instruction.

Part 2: Data Collection. Describe the processes for collecting data at a detailed level to inform effectiveness of each intervention. Data at a detailed level would include examples such as: participation rates at the activity-level, dosage rates of an intervention per student, teacher practice observed rates at the targeted strategy-level, or academic outcome data at the activity-level per student. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

The overall responsibility for implementing the program's evaluation plan for qualitative and quantitative data collection methods, at the campus level, is the responsibility of the grant coordinator and the External Evaluator (to be chosen at a later date). Data collection methods will include, but are not limited to: program records, student records, test results, and survey results - including annual student and faculty climate surveys; student achievement and test scores reported and evaluated by grading period, semester, and annually; numbers of parents, community members, students and faculty participating in program activities reported annually; and student surveys and evaluation of work-based learning experiences by semester.

Multiple types of data will be collected for the entire grant period, including data for 1) **student performance indicators**: overall student academic achievement; state assessment test results by subject, and grade level (e.g., percentage of students performing at/above grade level by subject area; attendance and promotion rates; and disciplinary referrals); and 2) **staff development and parent involvement and training indicators** (e.g., what is the impact of the staff development and parent involvement and training). The evaluation plan will both aggregate and disaggregate measures of student academic achievement by sub-populations of students (i.e., African American, Hispanic, White, Male, Female, Special Education, Economically Disadvantaged, and English Language Learners). Teacher effectiveness measures will be disaggregated based on TTESS data.

Attendance and grade data will be collected on the district's grading program, GradeSpeed (which also reports on failure, attendance, and other information regarding student performance in classes). Campus administrators will run these reports each grading cycle to determine failure rates by grade, teacher, subject, ethnicity and other demographic factors relevant to assuring all students are successful. In addition, the school will review discipline data on a weekly basis. Parents will also be empowered by being informed how to use GradeSpeed to monitor, via a computer with Internet access and by cell phone, their student's academic progress and class attendance rates. Climate surveys will be used to assess how well instruction has improved.

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Part 3: Assessing effectiveness of interventions. Describe the processes and staff responsible for assessing the effectiveness of program activities and interventions on an ongoing basis. How are problems with project delivery to be identified and corrected throughout the project?

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#### Process and Staff Responsible for Program Evaluation and Success

Program evaluation will be led by the grant coordinator and the External Evaluator, with major input and assistance from the principal. Two categories of evaluation will be conducted and reviewed- Process Evaluation and Outcome Evaluation.

*Process Evaluation:* This component of the evaluation will involve monitoring the implementation and management of the program to ensure benchmarks are being met and the implementation plan is being followed. Benchmarks completing task on time and efficiently. These tasks may include:

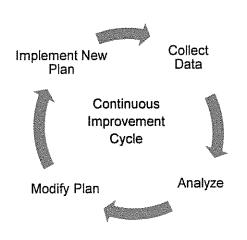
- Hiring of staff/teachers;
- Teacher completion of intervention-specific training, purchase of materials and supplies;
- Documentation of regular reviews and program evaluations; or
- Implementation and completion of interventions and activities.

Product/Outcome Evaluation: This component of the evaluation will involve monitoring the success of specific interventions and activities. With a focus on student achievement and staff/teacher effectiveness. Target outputs/outcomes will be monitored and reviewed to determine the effectiveness and appropriateness of each intervention and activity. These outputs may include:

- The number of teacher completing a specified training:
- The number of students who made progress toward exiting the English Language Learner program;
- · The number of special education students who increased their academic and practical skills; or
- A variety of other performance measures that monitor the success of the interventions toward larger program goals.

Identification and Correction of Program Delivery Issues: Ongoing formative assessment of planned interventions will focus on monitoring both the processes of implementation and the outcomes of each intervention to ensure that program delivery is being executed with fidelity and according to established timelines. Formative assessments will be reviewed regularly – monthly, quarterly, per semester or annually. Adjustments to intervention delivery and processes will be updated and improved as necessary. Together, these steps will allow the program to undergo continuous improvement and movement toward the final program goals.

The results of annual formative evaluations will inform the final summative evaluation to determine if the program goals listed in Schedule 13.1 have been achieved. Program successes will be well documented for sustainability at De Zavala and presented as best practices for other schools in the district and state.



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#### Schedule #16—Responses to Statutory Requirements

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Statutory Requirement 1: Describe your rigorous review process used to select highest-quality and best-fit external providers for your project. Include processes to:

- Identify a reasonably sized pool of prospective external providers
- Assess level of experience in delivering the work
- Determine a history of prior success; consistent strong results in similar projects
- Conduct a risk-assessment related to contracting
- Execute final selection and procurement

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Pasadena Independent School District will select external providers who use effective techniques and methods to improve academic achievement and address the critical needs of the students and staff at De Zavala Middle School. Further, selected external providers will have corresponding research to support the success of their methods and have experience working with student populations similar to De Zavala Middle.

<u>Pool of prospective external providers</u> – De Zavala Middle staff members will work with district staff to identify external providers for each area of focus – reading, math, English Language Learners, science, and special education. Following the State of Texas competitive bid law, Pasadena ISD will release a scope of work to the external providers and the public to accept proposals for providing the services and to receive a pool of prospective providers. Based on a review of their proposals, which includes their methods and the success rates of the intervention proposed, the De Zavala team will select the most qualified external providers who are able to address the areas of concern.

<u>Prior success and level of experience</u> – Previous success is important to the De Zavala grant implementation team when selecting an external provider with the knowledge, experience, and success in implementing interventions for schools with a similar student demographic as De Zavala. With the help of the District Coordinator of School Improvement and the curriculum and instruction department, team members will contact school districts with prior experience using the specific provider to obtain their feedback on the resources, training, and support. As the feedback is collected, the grant coordinator will share the findings with the team for consideration. Additionally, some of the external providers will participate in a small, one-school pilot of their services at other campuses within the district. The outcomes from the pilot and the feedback from other school districts using the external provider will be weighed heavily when selecting the appropriate external providers to train De Zavala staff.

Risk-assessment related to contracting – The principal and grant coordinator will screen external provider proposals for services proposed and cost of services. External providers, whose proposals are responsive to the scope of work, will receive an interview by the campus principal and the De Zavala implementation team. The team will use the following questions to guide their decision on the risks associated with contracting with a selected provider:

- What is the scope of the contracted service?
- What are the potential risks associated with the contracted service?
- What is the likelihood that the risk will happen?
- What is the severity of the identified risk?
- What opportunities will be missed if the service is not done?

If answers to the questions result in a response that triggers concern, the team will discuss the issues surrounding the question and consider the "pros and cons" of moving forward with the contractor in spite of identified risks. The team may decide to search for a provider with fewer risks.

<u>Final selection and procurement</u> – Once the interview process is complete, De Zavala will follow the district guidelines regarding purchasing and procurement to secure a final contract between the district and the external providers identified during the planning process by the grant implementation team. The grant coordinator will work with the principal and the Purchasing Department to follow the district policy regarding contracts and follow the contract process, which includes a review of all contracts by the general counsel and the approval of the board of trustees.

As De Zavala identifies other experts in the various areas of need targeted by the *iAchieve* program, the grant coordinator will follow the same rigorous review process to identify additional providers, as necessary.

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Statutory Requirement 2: External Provider Oversight. Describe your rigorous and ongoing process to provide oversight to external providers to ensure their continued quality and success in meeting project deliverables. Include in the description:

- Proposed schedule to regularly review external provider performance
- · Campus/district personnel responsible for oversight and management of providers
- Process/instruments used to measure and monitor success of providers
- Corrective actions or additional supports utilized to improve provider performance
- Criteria/sequence of actions to be taken to remove/replace a low performing provider

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For professional development of the staff at De Zavala Middle, external providers will conduct workshops at the school and the district's professional development center. In addition to the professional development trainers, De Zavala will also contract with a TEA Professional Service Provider (PSP) to guide the school through the implementation process of the grant and an external evaluator to conduct the overall evaluation of the grant activities and participants.

Pasadena ISD will establish the following protocol to provide ongoing oversight and ensure quality and success of each provider through the duration of the program.

<u>Personnel responsible for regular review:</u> The grant coordinator will conduct monthly reviews of the professional development delivered by each external provider. For providers presenting less frequently, the review will occur 30 days after the workshop or coaching session. During the reviews, the grant coordinator will review the delivery, participant feedback, and if the strategy is implemented. Monthly, the grant coordinator will conference with the PSP and the external evaluator to assess the provider's performance, receive comments regarding program/strategy, and discuss ways to ensure the strategy is implemented with fidelity throughout the school.

<u>Process/instruments used:</u> Data on external provider performance will include surveys from workshops and observations by the grant coordinator. Members of the implementation team will have the opportunity to attend workshops to view the provider's presentation. The grant coordinator will collect classroom student performance data related to interventions modeled by the providers. Additionally, the grant coordinator will conference with all external providers at least every two months.

<u>Corrective actions or supports:</u> The grant coordinator will review the documentation monthly for any red flags. When issues arise, the grant coordinator will immediately address the areas needing improvement with the external provider in a meeting. The grant coordinator will provide suggestions for improvement and establish benchmarks for improvement. A reasonable timeframe for the provider to achieve the benchmarks established will be set by the grant coordinator and external provider.

Removal/replacement: After meeting with the external provider, the grant coordinator will observe the provider for improvement. If the provider does not show improvement through meeting the set benchmarks, the grant coordinator will present the documentation to the implementation team for review with a recommendation of terminating the contract. The team will discuss the issues and consider terminating the contract. After reviewing the documentation, the team will decide if the provider's contract will be terminated.

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Statutory Requirement 3: Pre-Implementation Year. List and describe primary activities planned for the Planning/ Pre-Implementation period in the grant to occur from February 1, 2017-July 31, 2017. These activities shall be designed to prepare the district and campus for stronger full Implementation than would be possible without Pre-Implementation. Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.		
1.	Hire key staff members (Campus-based grant coordinator, bilingual-certified teachers, intervention specialists, Connect coach and a grant secretary).	
2.	Develop and negotiate contracts with external providers to conduct pre-implementation and year 1 professional development workshops;	
3.	Purchase supplies and materials needed to facilitate readiness for full implementation of all strategies the first day of school in August, 2017 (i.e. classroom libraries, computers, library books, ELL-specific workbooks and licenses).	
4.	Initiate contract with TEA Professional Service Provider (PSP) to assist the campus team with grant implementation.	
5.	Initiate contract with external evaluator.	
6.	Work with PSP and external evaluator to establish "rigorous, attainable, and aligned" performance targets for ongoing and summative program evaluation.	
7.	Provide staff with initial training in the content areas, the Connect Program, and ESL instructional techniques.	
8.	Work with the DSCI to begin planning for full implementation.	
9.	The campus administration team will conduct four walkthroughs each nine weeks for all De Zavala teachers during the Spring semester to identify struggling teachers requiring coaching.	
10.	Plan the build of the hydroponic garden to reinforce science foundation.	
11.	Begin parent and community involvement activities.	
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**Statutory Requirement 4: Coordinated and Integrated Efforts.** Describe any ongoing, existing efforts that are similar or related to the planned project. How will you coordinate efforts to maximize effectiveness of grant funds? Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.

For the past three years, De Zavala Middle has been involved in ongoing efforts to assess and improve student performance. As part of those efforts, several interventions have been piloted or implemented on a limited basis due to budget constraints. With funds provided through De Zavala's proposed TTIPS program (*iAchieve*), full implementation of several, evidence-based interventions will be supported and provide comprehensive and targeted response to the specific needs identified through De Zavala's recent data analysis and needs assessment.

The *iAchieve* program represents De Zavala's first attempt to fully coordinate and integrate a system across grade levels that addresses the key areas in need of improvement and expands the school's capacity to provide a larger number of students with a more comprehensive array of educational opportunities and services.

Existing improvement efforts that will be coordinated and integrated into the *iAchieve* program include:

- Extended day tutorials will expand from no paid planning for teachers as they prepare for their targeted tutorials to
  include an hour of paid planning;
- DZ Halftime, a time of each day where all students have lunch at the same time, will expand from just lunch and tutorials to a 30 minute lunch with 30 minutes for tutorials twice a week and 30 minutes for clubs (i.e. chess, robotics, etc.) three days per week;
- The library will add 500 books each year to build a print-rich environment that includes current non-fiction selections;
- Instruction will be enhanced as De Zavala replicates the current Connect personalized learning program for De Zavala students;
- P.I.E. Time (intervention and enrichment support provided during the day for students based on assessment results) will be implemented with fidelity campus-wide; and
- Existing parental engagement activities developed by the part-time Parent Coordinator Counselor will increase in number and quality and expand to include additional activities facilitated by the Parent Liaison.

All relevant materials, supplies, facilities, and expertise that are part of similar, existing efforts will be fully integrated into the expansion and enhancements proposed through this program in order to maximize the effectiveness of grant funds and will supplement, not supplant what the school district is currently able to do in regards to comprehensive school-wide improvement.

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Name of principal who will be in place through the implementation of the model:	Melissa Garza	
Hire date, or anticipated hire date of the principal who will be in place for implementation of the model:	August 1, 2015	

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Statutory Requirement 6: Rural LEA Flexibility Rural LEA applicants proposing a TRANSFORMATION or TURNAROUND model have the <u>option</u> to propose a modification to one element of the model. If proposing to modify one element of the model under the Rural LEA Flexibility option, please respond to the prompts in the table below.  Applicants not proposing a modification/not eligible to propose a modification shall indicate below with "N/A".  Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.		
Element in the model selected for modification:	N/A	
Description of the modification:	N/A	
How intent of the original element remains/will be met:	N/A	

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Statutory Requirement 7: Evaluation Systems for Teachers and Principals, accounting for student growth Applicants proposing a TRANSFORMATION, TEXAS STATE-DESIGN, or EARLY LEARNING model must use a rigorous, transparent, and equitable evaluation system that takes into account student growth as a significant factor. Please review the description of requirements of the evaluation systems under these models in Schedule #2 Provisions and Assurances.

These applicants shall respond to the prompts in the table below.

Applicants not proposing a Transformation, Texas State-Design or Early Learning model shall indicate below with "N/A".

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Describe the data sources for student growth accounted for in the teacher and principal evaluation system. Include how student growth is

weighted in evaluation:

De Zavala will use the Texas Teacher Evaluation and Support System (T-TESS) to evaluate teachers and an alternate evaluation for principals. Both systems will help teachers and principals develop into strong campus and instructional staff members.

The data sources used to measure student growth for principal include Indices of State Accountability System, attendance, literacy measures, district-wide assessments, and student surveys. The principal will set goals based on the principal standards and the data from the Texas Accountability Intervention System report. The principal is expected to perform at or above the state in Index 1 to 4. Student growth is weighted up to 15% for Index 1 and 5% for Indices 2-4.

For the teacher evaluation system, student growth accounts for 5% of the overall rating, unless mandated differently by the state, when focused on Index 2. The data sources for the teacher evaluation system include student learning objectives, portfolios, and district level pre- and post-tests.

Describe how the evaluation system design includes multiple observation-based assessments and ongoing collections of professional practice:

The goal of the evaluation system is to promote growth. Thus, teachers will submit a self-assessment and set a development plan. Each teacher will receive four walkthroughs per year. Observations will be at least 15 minutes and may include videotaping. With each observation, the assessing administrator will hold a conference with the teacher at least once per nine weeks to reflect on this observation and provide feedback. Further, teachers will keep an electronic portfolio with all certificates from attendance at professional development workshops.

Administrators will have a pre-evaluation conference, mid-year conference, and end-ofyear conference. During the conferences, principals will complete a self-assessment, set goals and track progress towards the goals. Principals and assistant principals will also keep documentation of their workshop attendance in an electronic portfolio and present the documentation to their assessor during their reflection conferences.

Describe how the evaluation system was developed with teacher and principal involvement:

The T-TESS is the evaluation system developed by TEA. The system was piloted by school districts across the state during the 2014-15 and 2015-16 school year. Full implementation is currently underway throughout the state.

The alternate principal evaluation uses the principal standards and student data with the expectation that the principal meets or beats the state on Index 1-4. In the spring of 2015, the principals were introduced to the standards and their input was gathered. Using the traditional assessment, the principals voted to align it to the standards. Every year the instrument has changed based on principal feedback.

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Describe the rewards available for educators who have increased student achievement in implementing the model:	STAAR assessment by 10% in at lead overall math, overall math, special educators having an impact on students.	goal of increasing student performance on the ast one of the targeted areas needing improvement: ducation, and English Language Learners. With all ent achievement and implementing the iAchieve avala educators will receive a \$200 credit for a local educational supply store.
Describe protocols/interventions to support teachers who are struggling to improve professional practice:	teacher is identified, Peer Facilitator through coaching, including videotar teachers at the campus and at other Additionally, district Instructional Speteam leaders, as needed.	we the opportunity to improve. When a struggling is and the Connect Coach will provide support bring, with reflection and observations of master is successful campuses within the district. I secialists will provide support to Peer Facilitators and it is, the teacher will be placed on a growth plan to their instructional methods.
Describe the criteria	staff. However, if interventions do n terminated or not considered for ren Great care will be taken to ensure th struggling teacher:	o support and provide interventions for struggling of lead to improvement, a teacher's contract may be ewal. e following interventions have been provided for the h supporting documentation;

established for educator removal:

- Reflective conferences with supporting documentation;
- Observation of master teachers in the same grade level; and
- Assistance from the Peer Facilitators through coaching, and modeling.

If the teacher's instruction does not improve after receiving the interventions, the principal will compile all appropriate documentation and present the information to human resources with the recommendation to remove the teacher from his/her assignment or to be placed on non-renewal or terminated status.

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Identify the IHE partner that will be in place for the early college high school development and implementation. Include the title/role of the IHE primary point of contact, and essential agreements reached at this point:	N/A	
Describe the sustainable source of funds or fee waiver plan that will enable students to access college courses, TSI assessments, textbooks and college fees; without cost to the student:	N/A	

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Describe the processes the LEA/campus will take to build the number of college courses available to students to gain during high school to a minimum of six (6) by the start of the 2017-2018 school year to sixty (60) by the start of 2018-2019 school year:	N/A	

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Statutory Requirement 12: Developing an Early College school-wide strategy (continued)  Applicants proposing a TEXAS STATE-DESIGN model must deliver a comprehensive school improvement strategy, implemented for all students in the school, which is consistent with the Texas concept for developing an Early College High School (ECHS). Please review the description of the Texas State-Design model in Schedule #2 Provisions and Assurances.  These applicants shall respond to the prompts in the table below. Applicants not proposing a Texas State-Design model shall indicate below with "N/A".  Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.		
Describe the academic, social, college readiness and college access services that will be in place by Fall 2017, to support student success in college-level coursework and continued post-secondary education pursuits:	N/A	

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Statutory Requirement 13: High-quality preschool programming Applicants proposing the EARLY LEARNING INTERVENTION model must deliver an elementary program that meets the definition included in program federal requirements and is integrated in a campus-wide school improvement model. Please review the description of requirements under the Early Learning Intervention model in Schedule #2 Provisions and Assurances.  These applicants shall respond to the prompts in the table below. Applicants not proposing an Early Learning Intervention model shall indicate below with "N/A".  Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.		
Describe the schedule and staffing pattern for the full-day preschool that will meet standards for high qualification of staff, required child-to-staff ratios, required class size limitations and comparable staff salaries.	N/A	
Indicate if the campus will partner with community-based provider or off-site campus to deliver key components of the model; such as staffing or facilities needed to deliver a gradelevel or other educational program.  If such a partnership will exist, describe how the campus and LEA will ensure all students benefitting from the grant are enrolled at the eligible grantee campus.	N/A	

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Describe how the preschool program proposed is: research-based; vertically aligned in math, science, literacy, language through the elementary grades; and develops socio-emotional skills:	N/A  N/A	
Describe the student assessment data that will be examined for the preschool and kindergarten classes that inform continuous improvement and next-grade readiness:	N/A	

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Statutory Requirement 15: Screening and Selecting Staff Applicants proposing a TURNAROUND model must measure the effectiveness of staff to work in the turnaround environment. In screening all existing staff, no more than 50% may be rehired to work in the turnaround model. Please review the description of requirements for educator screening and selecting staff under the turnaround model in Schedule #2 Provisions and Assurances.  These applicants shall respond to the prompts in the table below. Applicants not proposing a Turnaround model shall indicate below with "N/A".  Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.		
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Describe process for screening all staff that existed prior to implementation of the turnaround model, including the criteria for best-fit in the turnaround model:	N/A	
Indicate the number of existing staff rehired for work in the turnaround model implementation:	N/A	
Describe process for selecting new staff, including the criteria for best-fit in the turnaround model:	N/A	
Indicate the number of new staff hired for work in the turnaround model implementation:	N/A	
Indicate the start date for the new turnaround implementation staff; including rehires and new hires:	N/A	

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Statutory Requirement 16: New Governance Structure/Turnarou Applicants proposing a TURNAROUND model must adopt a new careport to a new turnaround office in the LEA or SEA, hire a turnarou or enter into a multi-year contract with the LEA for added flexibility in the description of requirements for new governance structure under Assurances.	Impus governance structure in which the school may not leader who reports to LEA executive leadership, a exchange for greater accountability. Please review the turnaround model in Schedule #2 Provisions and
These applicants shall describe the new governance structures plan Turnaround model shall indicate below with "N/A". Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial for	
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Applicants proposing the WHOI with a whole-school reform mod Reform model in Schedule #2 F These applicants shall respond model shall indicate below with	del developer. Please review the description Provisions and Assurances. to the prompts in the table below. Applicant	s not proposing a Whole-School Reform
Name the model developer with whom you will partner to implement the whole-school reform:	N/A	
Describe the record of success the model developer has shown in implementing whole-school reform strategies:	N/A	
Name and describe the study/studies examined that support the efficacy of the model selected.  Include information about the study's sample size and multi-site sampling.  Include key findings showing impact on student achievement.  Additionally, provide citations for the study publications.	N/A	

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atutory Requirement 18: Operations under a Charter School Operator, CMO or EMO.  Applicants proposing a RESTART model must convert or reopen the school under a charter school operator, charter charagement organization (CMO), or education management organization (EMO); using a rigorous review process to lect a provider who will restart the organization. Please review the description of requirements under the Restart codel in Schedule #2 Provisions and Assurances.  The space below, these applicants shall describe the rigorous process to be used to select the restart organization; teria used for selection; timeline for provider selection; and anticipated date for school reopening/conversion.  Applicants not proposing a Restart model shall indicate below with "N/A".  Response is limited to space provided, front side only. Use Arial font, no smaller than 10 point.	
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Statutory Requirement 19: Enrollment in higher achieving so Applicants proposing a CLOSURE model must enroll students w within reasonable proximity to the closed school. These applicants shall describe the processes, key activities, and	ho attended the school in a higher achieving school
transition students to a higher achieving school in the space beloindicate below with "N/A".	
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## Schedule #17—Responses to TEA Program Requirements

Amendment # (for amendments only): TEA Program Requirement 1: Interventions and Resources to meet Model Requirements- IMPROVE THE INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM County-district number or vendor ID: 101-91

Academic Performance is the foundational Critical Success Factor. Through gains in Critical Success Factors of teacher quality, effective leadership, data-driven instructional decisions, productive community and parent involvement, efficient use of learning time, and maintaining a positive school climate, campuses can increase academic performance for Critical Success Factors are the key research-based focus areas, aligned with the statutory requirements of this program, under which school improvement initiatives shall be planned. Research provides evidence that effort and investment in these focus areas is most impactful to achieve continuous school improvement.

- List the key interventions the campus will implement to improve the instructional program in order to achieve increased academic performance.
- Provide a description of grant costs named in the Budget Schedules, indicating how costs will support the intervention to improve the instructional program.

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# Improve the Instructional Program Critical Success Factor:

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<u></u>	Students will receive personalized instruction that addresses their	250 student devices/tablets with cases (250 students X \$375/device)
	needs through the Connect Program. This program is an	15 teacher devices/laptops Years 1 and 2 (10 teachers annually X \$710/device)
	innovative flex learning model which allows students to interact	250 backpacks to transport tablets from class to class (250 backpacks X \$ \$30 each)
~	with reading and math content not only in isolation but through a	15 Netbook carts for charging and securing netbooks overnight (\$500/cart x 15 carts)
<u>.</u>	relevant project-based learning system. Students will receive	NWEA Growth Assessment (\$2,100 annually)
	mentoring and participate in goal setting, only advancing to the	Connect Training for teachers to support and modify curriculum (\$20,000/ year)
onemenos	next lesson once they achieve 80% mastery of the content.	Connect Coach to support and coach teachers on this instructional change (\$60,000 plus
		3% increase each year)
	Summer Bridge Programs (including a Book Club and science	Books for Book Club (50 books X \$20/book annually)
	program) to keep the students reading year-round and help them	Extra duty pay for teachers working in the summer program classes (\$28/hour)
N	become familiar with the science vocabulary. Students will give an	

	oral report for their parents during a Literacy Night.	
C	Establish an in-school print rich environment for all students to	Classroom libraries of nonfiction titles and bilingual titles (\$14,000 for 10 classrooms)
က်	encourage reading.	500 books added to the library each year of the grant (\$20/book X 500 books annually)
	Implement supports for special education students to	Hydroponic Garden supplies (\$6,000 annually)
4.	maximize their ability to learn and connect in the classroom	Special Program Peer Facilitators (District –paid support)
	environment.	Science Liaison Extra duty pay (\$1,000 annually)
<u> </u>	Hire two Intervention Specialists (math and reading with a focus	Hire two Intervention Specialists (math and reading with a focus Two Intervention Specialists (\$60,000 each plus 3% increase annually)

	Hire two Intervention Specialists (math and reading with a focus	ecialists (math and reading with a focus   Two Intervention Specialists (\$60,000 each plus 3% increas
	on ELL and special education students) and a full bilingual team	ition students) and <b>a full bilingual team</b> Four bilingual teachers to serve ELL students (\$60,000 eac
ιĊ	consisting of a math, reading, science, and social studies teacher.	ling, science, and social studies teacher. Rosetta Stone licenses (150 licenses X \$179/license)
-		ESL Reading Smart licenses (50 licenses X \$120/license)

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Milestones workbooks for ELL students (\$6,000 annually for 175 students)

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decisions, productive community and parent involvement, efficient use of learning time, and maintaining a positive school	of learning time, and maintaining a positive school climate, campuses can increase academic performance for
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- List the key interventions the campus will implement to increase teacher quality in order to achieve increased academic performance.
- · Provide a description of grant costs named in the Budget Schedules, indicating how costs will support the intervention to increase teacher quality.

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	Plann	Planned Intervention	Description of Grant Costs to Support Intervention (Budget Narrative)
-	Train Connect Program tead the program.	Train Connect Program teachers annually for smooth implementation of the program.	Extra-duty pay for teachers attending training during the summer and on Saturdays (\$28/hour) Connect Program training (Activities include a two-week Boot Camp shifting the mindset towards instruction; six days of professional development, monthly Google hangout video conferencing with Summit Schools, trainings on how to meet individual student needs through the Connect Program as a Response to Intervention) (\$20,000/year) Connect Coach (\$60,000 plus 3% increase each year)
7	Provide sheltered instruction traini teachers having an ESL certification.	Provide <b>sheltered instruction training</b> for all teachers with the goal of all teachers having an ESL certification.	ESL Certifications (\$1,965 annually) Sheltered Instruction training (\$7,000 annually)
က်	Provide teachers access to hi opportunities.	Provide teachers access to <b>high-quality professional development</b> opportunities.	Content-area specific trainings, conferences, and workshops (\$30,000 annually) Professional Learning Community (PLC) trainings (\$95,000 total over the four- year grant period)
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+ •	List the key interventions the Provide a description of grant	campus will implement to <i>increase leadership e</i> costs named in the Budget Schedules, indicating	<ul> <li>List the key interventions the campus will implement to increase leadership effectiveness in order to achieve increased academic performance.</li> <li>Provide a description of grant costs named in the Budget Schedules, indicating how costs will support the intervention to increase leadership effectiveness.</li> </ul>
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	Critical Success Factor:	Increase Leadership Effectiveness	
	Pla	Planned Intervention	Description of Grant Costs to Support Intervention (Budget Narrative)
<del></del>		Provide on-site coaching for the administrative staff, with reflection meetings, to develop the De Zavala leadership team.	Contract with Houston A+ Challenge (\$6,000/annually) PLC Training (\$95,000 total over the four-year grant period)
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- List the key interventions the campus will implement to increase use of quality data in order to achieve increased academic performance.
- Provide a <u>description of grant costs</u> named in the Budget Schedules, indicating how costs will support the intervention to increase use of quality data.

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-	Critical Success Factor:	Increase Use of Quality Data to Inform Instruction	nstruction
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<u> </u>	Hire external evaluator to a program.	Hire external evaluator to assess the effectiveness of the iAchieve program.	External Evaluator (\$50,000 annually)
2,		Use data to pull students out of class for <b>small-group instruction</b> with a focus on special education students and English Language Learners.	Intervention Specialists (\$60,000 each plus 3% increase annually)
<u>(i)</u>	Review data during the PLC proceevery two-three weeks as a team	Review data during the PLC process to analyze common assessments every two-three weeks as a team.	There is no financial impact to the grant.
4		Use the <b>Student Level Review</b> to track student performance from one district assessment to the next and to make sure the assessment results are aligned with grading distributions (i.e. if the assessment is not aligned with the grades on the report card, this indicates an issue with instruction.)	There is no financial impact to the grant.
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- List the key interventions the campus will implement to increase learning time in order to achieve increased academic performance.
- Provide a description of grant costs named in the Budget Schedules, indicating how costs will support the intervention to increase learning time.

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Critical Success Factor:		Increase Learning Time	
	O.	Planned Intervention	Description of Grant Costs to Support Intervention (Budget Narrative)
Tutors from F Zavala studer	basadena Early ( ots for a minimun	<b>Tutors</b> from Pasadena Early College High School students will tutor and mentor De Zavala students for a minimum of twice a week.	There is no financial impact to the grant.
Allow teache school year.	rs time to adequa	Allow teachers time to adequately <b>plan their extended day activities</b> during the school year.	Extra-duty pay for teachers (\$28/hour)
As a part of t support in a	As a part of the Connect Program, imp support in areas of need during class.	As a part of the Connect Program, implement self-paced work with small group support in areas of need during class.	There is no financial impact to the grant.
Provide tutor 30 minutes a be used to al group suppor	Provide tutorials during DZ Halftime (schoos minutes and then attend tutorials on Tueso be used to allow students to continue their pegroup support through the Connect Program.	Provide <b>tutorials during DZ Halftime</b> (schoolwide lunch). Students will eat lunch for 30 minutes and then attend tutorials on Tuesdays and Thursdays. This time will also be used to allow students to continue their personalized learning time with small group support through the Connect Program.	General supplies (\$5,000/annually)
Summer Pro students read vocabulary; S program wit includes fine	grams (including ling year-round a Science Summer h monolingual s arts and activities	Summer Programs (including a book club and science program) to keep the students reading year-round and help them become familiar with the science vocabulary; Science Summer Program for Long-term ELL students; two-week program with monolingual students from 8 a.m12 p.m. during the summer that includes fine arts and activities such as a living museum.	Contract with high quality vendor for Science Summer program (\$5,000/annually) Extra-duty pay for teachers working during the summer to facilitate summer programming (\$28/hour)

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- List the key interventions the campus will implement to increase parent/community engagement in order to achieve increased academic performance.
- Provide a <u>description of grant costs</u> named in the Budget Schedules, indicating how costs will support the intervention for parent/community engagement.

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L		Planned Intervention	Description of Grant Costs to Support Intervention (Budget Narrative)
	Community activities such as ESL Cle and community members on campus. A enrich the science curricula and close it special education students, and reinforc through Life Science concepts such as oxygen cycle; engage families and com such as Family "Hy-Sci" Nights to assis knowledge and skills and Neighborhooc materials produced from the Hydro Lab	Community activities such as ESL Classes will be held after school for parents and community members on campus. Additionally, a hydroponic garden will enrich the science curricula and close learning gaps for struggling LTELL students, special education students, and reinforce concepts for regular education students through Life Science concepts such as food chains and webs, carbon dioxide-oxygen cycle; engage families and community through "garden to table" activities such as Family "Hy-Sci" Nights to assist parents in developing students' knowledge and skills and Neighborhood Farmer's Market to showcase food materials produced from the Hydro Lab.	General Supplies (\$5,000/annually)
***************************************	Oral Book Report event v 2. students will have the opport they have read.	Oral Book Report event will occur every four to six weeks. During this event, students will have the opportunity to share with parent information about a book they have read.	General Supplies (\$5,000/annually) Parent refreshments (\$2,000 annually)
L	Offer <b>Saturday program</b> m 3. year round.	Offer <b>Saturday programming</b> such as a mobile library for parents and students year round.	General Supplies (\$5,000/annually) Extra-duty pay for teachers and Parent Liaison to coordinate and facilitate activities (\$28/hour) Parent refreshments (\$2,000 annually)
	Parent Liaison will work with the activities and workshops, such a to prepare your child for college.	Parent Liaison will work with the part-time Parent Coordinator to offer parenting activities and workshops, such as how to help your child with homework and how to prepare your child for college.	Extra-duty pay for Parent Liaison (\$28/hour) General Supplies (\$5,000/annually) Parent refreshments (\$2,000 annually)
L	5. Student-led parent confe	Student-led parent conferences to review achievements each grading period.	There is no financial impact to the grant.
		Schedule #17—Responses to TEA Program Requirements	Program Requirements
	County-district number or vendor ID: 101-917	or ID: 101-917	Amendment # (for amendments only):
	TEA Program Requirement 7 Critical Success Factors are the ken planned. Research provides evide	TEA Program Requirement 7: Interventions and Resources to meet Model Requirements-IMPROVE SCHOOL CLIMATE Critical Success Factors are the key research-based focus areas, aligned with the statutory requirements of this program, under which school improplanned. Research provides evidence that effort and investment in these focus areas is most impactful to achieve continuous school improvement.	TEA Program Requirement 7: Interventions and Resources to meet Model Requirements- IMPROVE SCHOOL CLIMATE Critical Success Factors are the key research-based focus areas, aligned with the statutory requirements of this program, under which school improvement initiatives shall be planned. Research provides evidence that effort and investment in these focus areas is most impactful to achieve continuous school improvement.

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Academic Performance is the foundational Critical Success Factor. Through gains in Critical Success Factors of teacher quality, effective leadership, data-driven instructional decisions, productive community and parent involvement, efficient use of learning time, and maintaining a positive school climate, campuses can increase academic performance for all students.

- List the key interventions the campus will implement to improve school climate in order to achieve increased academic performance.
- · Provide a description of grant costs named in the Budget Schedules, indicating how costs will support the intervention to improve school climate.

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	Description of Grant Costs to Support Intervention (Budget Narrative)	Supplies for clubs and tutorials that take place during the school day to achieve maximum impact. (\$5,000/annually)	Supplies to support the training (including but not limited to workbooks and handouts) (\$2,000 annually)  Extra-duty pay for staff attending trainings on Saturdays and during the summer (\$28/hour)			
Improve School Climate	Planned Intervention	Provide <b>tutorials</b> during DZ Halftime (schoolwide lunch). Students will eat lunch for 30 minutes and then attend clubs (i.e. robotics, chess, etc.) on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.	Continue training staff in Conscious Discipline, PBIS, CHAMPS, and Safe and Civil Schools to improve classroom management, assist teachers in building positive relationships with students, and help teachers at De Zavala improve the socio-emotional health of students.			
Critical Success Factor:		Provide tutorials during for 30 minutes and then a Wednesday, and Friday.	***************************************			
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County-District Number or Vendor ID: 101-917 Amendment number (for amendments only):					
No Barriers					
# No Barriers Students Teachers	Others				
The applicant assures that no barriers exist to equitable access and participation for any groups					
Barrier: Gender-Specific Bias					
# Strategies for Gender-Specific Bias Students Teachers	Others				
A01 Expand opportunities for historically underrepresented groups to fully participate	Ø				
A02 Provide staff development on eliminating gender bias	$\boxtimes$				
A03 Ensure strategies and materials used with students do not promote gender bias	$\boxtimes$				
A04 Develop and implement a plan to eliminate existing discrimination and the effects of past discrimination on the basis of gender	$\boxtimes$				
Ensure compliance with the requirements in Title IX of the Education  A05 Amendments of 1972, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of gender					
A06 Ensure students and parents are fully informed of their rights and responsibilities with regard to participation in the program	$\boxtimes$				
A99 Other (specify)					
Barrier: Cultural, Linguistic, or Economic Diversity					
# Strategies for Cultural, Linguistic, or Economic Diversity Students Teachers	Others				
B01 Provide program information/materials in home language	$\boxtimes$				
B02 Provide interpreter/translator at program activities	$\boxtimes$				
B03 Increase awareness and appreciation of cultural and linguistic diversity through a variety of activities, publications, etc.					
B04 Communicate to students, teachers, and other program beneficiaries an appreciation of students' and families' linguistic and cultural backgrounds	$\boxtimes$				
B05 Develop/maintain community involvement/participation in program activities	$\boxtimes$				
B06 Provide staff development on effective teaching strategies for diverse populations	$\boxtimes$				
B07 Ensure staff development is sensitive to cultural and linguistic differences and communicates an appreciation for diversity	$\boxtimes$				
B08 Seek technical assistance from education service center, technical assistance center, Title I, Part A school support team, or other provider					
B09 Provide parenting training	$\boxtimes$				
B10 Provide a parent/family center	$\boxtimes$				
B11 Involve parents from a variety of backgrounds in decision making	$\boxtimes$				

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Provide before/after school recreational, instructional, cultural, or artistic

Provide mentor program

programs/activities

C06

C07

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Texas E	ducation Agency	Sta	ndard Applic	ation System	(SAS)
	Schedule #18—Equitable Access and P	articipation	(cont.)		
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#	Strategies for Gang-Related Activities		Students	Teachers	Others
C08	Provide community service programs/activities			$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$
C09	Conduct parent/teacher conferences			$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$
C10	Strengthen school/parent compacts			$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$
C11	Establish collaborations with law enforcement agencies			$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$
C12	Provide conflict resolution/peer mediation strategies/programs			$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$
C13	Seek collaboration/assistance from business, industry, or institution	TA ALAMA		Ø	Ø
C14	Provide training/information to teachers, school staff, and paren with gang-related issues	ts to deal		$\boxtimes$	×
C99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	r: Drug-Related Activities				
#	Strategies for Drug-Related Activities		Students	Teachers	Others
D01	Provide early identification/intervention	***************************************			
D02	Provide counseling	H-0-0	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	
D03	Conduct home visits by staff				
D04	Recruit volunteers to assist in promoting drug-free schools and communities				
D05	Provide mentor program				
D06	Provide before/after school recreational, instructional, cultural, or programs/activities	or artistic	$\boxtimes$	$\boxtimes$	
D07	Provide community service programs/activities	×	$\boxtimes$		
D08	Provide comprehensive health education programs	ndratitististististististististististististi			
D09	Conduct parent/teacher conferences				
D10	Establish school/parent compacts	***************************************	$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$
D11	Develop/maintain community collaborations				
D12	Provide conflict resolution/peer mediation strategies/programs				
D13	Seek collaboration/assistance from business, industry, or institution	itions of			
D14	Provide training/information to teachers, school staff, and paren with drug-related issues	ts to deal			
D99	Other (specify)				
Barrie	r: Visual Impairments				and the second second
#	Strategies for Visual Impairments		Students	Teachers	Others
E01	Provide early identification and intervention	COMMUNICATION CARROCAL COMMUNICATION CONTRACTOR CONTRAC	$\boxtimes$		
E02	Provide program materials/information in Braille		$\boxtimes$		

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